COMMON YELLOW FLOWERD

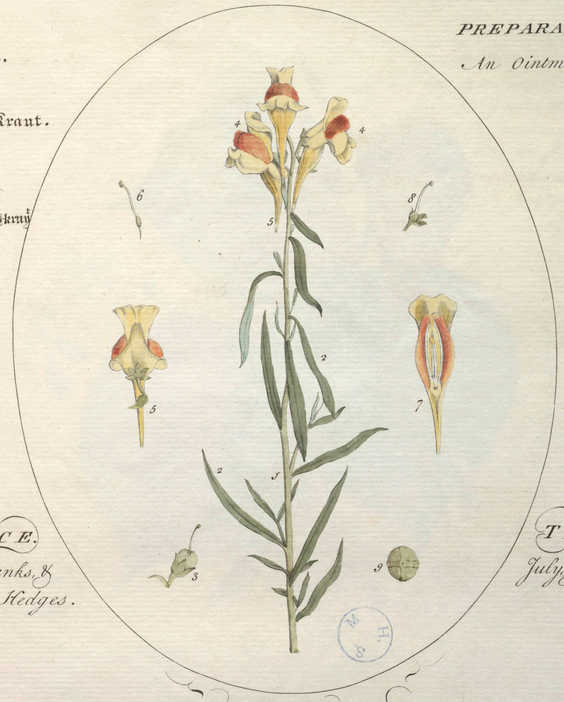
# TOAD FLAX

*NAMES.*

*A.*
*G.*
*L.* Linaria.
*I.*
*G.* Lein Kraut.
*F.*
*S.*
*D.* Wild Flaskraut

*PARTS USED.*
*the Whole Herb.*

*PREPARATIONS.*
*An Ointment.*



*PLACE.*
*On Banks & under Hedges.*

*TIME.*
*July & august.*

## DESCRIPTION.

*This Plant bends in the lower part of the Stalk, but in a few Inches becomes upright. The Stalk 1. is of a light Green of a Blueish cast. The Leaves 2. are smooth without any brightness, something darker than the Stalk. The Flower Cup 3. is deeply cut into five pointed parts, and is of a light Green. The Flowers 4. are here drawn in Various Attitudes, The upper and Lower parts of the Flower, are a pale fine Yellow; the Swelling part, or top of the Lip, is a Rich Gold Colour; and hairy. the Tail of the Flower 5. is a Shining Yellow. The Style 6. is white, with a Greenish top. a Flower 7. opend by taking away the Lower Leaf, shews there are four white Chives, with Yellow Summits & Farina. The Seed Vessel 8. in the Cup opend: grown large with the seed Vessel 9. which is in Four Cells. 9. The seed is small, flatish & almost black.*

## VIRTUES.

*This Herb is of Use against Dropsey and Jaundice and the Ointment is good for the Piles.*

*T. Sheldrake delin.* *C.H. Heinrich Sculp.*